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In re Application of Kanu G. Shah et al.			
Application Number 10/790,502-Conf. #1038		Filed March 1, 2004	
For EPOXY NITRILE INSULATOR AND SEAL FOR FUEL CELL ASSEMBLIES			
Art Unit 1711		Examiner M. D. Bissett	

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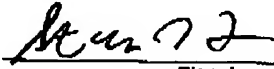
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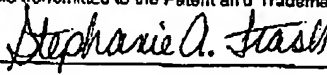
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